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SUBJECT: WEAPONS AUGMENTATION AT POST

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Classified By: RSO William Maxwell, E.O. 12958, reason 1.4(g)

11. (SNF) RSO met with COM and DCM. Post has no objections to M-4 augmentation at our post. DSS ROE and/or MSG policies, whichever are more stringent, will be rigorously adhered to and deadly force, alcohol use, storage, transport, etc. will be addressed. Post has a suitable alarmed vault, which meets DS standards, to secure the M-4's.

12. (U) The ARSO has had the firearms instructor course within the last five (5) years. The RSO has had the course also, but not within the last five (5) years.

13. (SNF) Host country allows easy access to a suitable range. Host country is amenable to our possession of M-4's, but a formal request for permission is not necessary/advisable.  
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